



The 11th eSTEEeM Annual Conference: Scholarship Success Stories – Innovation Through Community

Conference dates: 11-12 May 2022 via MS Teams

Call for abstracts guidelines

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The 11th eSTEEeM Annual Conference invites the submission of abstracts for the following session types:

- Interactive poster presentations
- Short oral presentations
- Workshops/demonstrations

Submissions relating to the following themes are invited:

- Assessment and feedback
- Employability
- Equality, Diversity and Inclusion
- International partnerships
- Online/onscreen STEM practice
- STEM Open Educational Resources
- STEM outreach
- Students as partners in the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning
- Supporting students
- Technologies for STEM learning
- Other (please specify)

Key dates for your diary

Submission of abstracts

7 February 2022	Call for abstracts opens
11 March 2022	Submission deadline for abstracts
25 March 2022	Authors notified of outcome of abstract submissions

Registration for conference

4 April 2022	Registration opens
29 April 2022	Registration closes
11-12 May 2022	The 11 th eSTEEeM Annual Conference: Scholarship Success Stories – Innovation Through Community

Submissions of posters and presentations

22 April 2022	Deadline for submission of pre-recorded poster presentations
6 May 2022	Deadline for submission of presentations (e.g., PowerPoint) for short orals and workshops/demonstrations.

Guidance on each session type

Interactive poster presentations (Abstract 150 – 300 words)

Following the success of last year, we are again inviting presenters to pre-record a voiceover to accompany their poster which should be a single PowerPoint slide suitable for viewing onscreen. You can be as creative/imaginative as you like, but the recording should be a maximum of 2 minutes. We will be awarding a prize for the best interactive poster presentation.

We would particularly encourage project leaders who are at the early stages of their projects to submit an interactive poster presentation. It should include a brief description of your project, what you're intending to do, how you are going to do it and what you are expecting to find/achieve/develop at the end of it.

Short oral presentations (Abstract 250 – 500 words)

Short oral presentations are part of a chaired session which includes a number of short presentations (15 - 20 minutes). Presentations should analyse innovative work in progress and must be clearly linked to the themes of eSTeEM. Time should also be left for discussion and questions.

Workshops/demonstrations (Abstract 250 – 500 words)

Workshop or demonstration sessions are up to 1 hour. Demonstrations should provide participants with an opportunity to view and discuss practical activities. You may wish to allow time for debriefing with participants in order to discuss their experience of the activity. Abstracts should provide a brief description of the activity/session.

Guidelines for abstract submissions

Please use the online abstract submission form – <https://bit.ly/3LfECmo>

Your abstract should be an accurate summary of the planned presentation/session. All accepted abstracts will be published in the conference booklet.

The deadline for submissions is **Friday 11th March 2022**.

Further information

Interactive poster presentations recordings will be made available a week prior to the conference to allow conference delegates to watch and vote at their leisure. Your recording may be accompanied by supplementary handouts/materials.

Short oral presentations will be in groups of 3 or 4 presentations.

Author(s) of the **workshop/demonstration** sessions are to specify on the abstract submission form if they have any special requirements i.e., additional breakout rooms/software, we will try our best to accommodate you.

Queries

If you have any queries, please contact the conference team at esteem@open.ac.uk.